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	Applicant(s): Jin SAKAMOTO et al.					
	Invention: STIRLING ENGINE					
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## AMENDMENT AFTER FINAL ACTION UNDER 37 C.F.R. 1.116

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## INTRODUCTORY COMMENTS

In response to the Office Action dated November 4, 2008, finally rejecting claim 1, please amend the above-identified U.S. patent application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 5 of this paper.